



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Weber et al.  
Appl. No. : 10/614,680  
Filed : July 3, 2003  
For : CONTINUOUS PROCESS FOR  
RECOVERING ACETONE FROM  
A WASTE STREAM RESULTING  
FROM ACETONE  
PURIFICATION  
Examiner : Manoharan, Virginia  
Group Art Unit : 1764

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action, mailed August 23, 2006, Applicant responds as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Summary of Interview** begins on page 7 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.

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